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Reference: John. J. Jewett & Sons White Lead Company/National Lead Industries
(NLI)/Seduttos Ice Cream Factory Site, 2000 Richmond Terrace, EPA Public Comment.

On behalf of the members of the North Shore Waterfront Conservancy of Staten Island, Inc., we whole heartedly support Alternative 2 for the remediation and clean up of the John J. Jewett & Sons White Lead Company/National Lead Industries/Seduttos Ice Cream Factory Site located at 2000 Richmond Terrace, Port Richmond, Staten Island, NY. 10302.

Since this property's first contamination back in 1839 it has placed the nearby residential community at risk of exposure to high lead levels. Knowing what we now know about the health hazards that high lead levels present to the development of young children, we deem it is essential that this site be forever neutralized. So that regardless of who its current or future owners may be - this site will no longer present any health concerns for the Environmental Justice community of Port Richmond, Staten Island, New York.

The Alternative 2 remediation and clean up will lead the way for this community to have a second chance for a healthier and safer quality of life.

Sincerely,

Beryl A. Thurman, Executive Director/President
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Cc: NSWC board and members